

David Boies

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

David Boies is a distinguished attorney with a prolific career spanning several decades, renowned for his expertise in class actions, antitrust litigation, and high-profile cases. As a founding partner of Boies Schiller Flexner LLP, he has been instrumental in shaping the firm's strategic direction and success.

BAR ADMISSIONS

- New York
- U.S. Supreme Court
- U.S. Court of Appeals: First Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Second Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Third Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Fourth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Fifth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Sixth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Seventh Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Ninth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Tenth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Eleventh Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: Federal Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals: D.C. Circuit
- U.S. District Court: Southern District of New York
- U.S. District Court: Eastern District of New York
- U.S. District Court: District of Colorado
- U.S. Court of International Trade
- London Court of International Arbitration

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Chairman and Founding Partner

Boies Schiller Flexner LLP

Armonk, NY

1997 – Present

- Co-founded and led a premier law firm specializing in complex litigation across various practice areas.
- Served as Special Trial Counsel for the U.S. Department of Justice in its antitrust suit against Microsoft (1998 – 2000).
- Lead counsel for Vice President Al Gore in litigation concerning the 2000 presidential election Florida vote count.
- Co-led the legal team in *Perry v. Brown*, securing a judgment that established the constitutional right to marry for gay and lesbian citizens.

Chief Counsel and Staff Director

U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee

1979

Chief Counsel and Staff Director

U.S. Senate Antitrust Subcommittee

1978

Associate and Partner
Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP
New York, NY
1966 – 1997

EDUCATION

Master of Laws (LL.M.)
New York University School of Law
New York, NY

Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.), *magna cum laude*
Yale Law School
New Haven, CT

Bachelor of Science (B.S.)
Northwestern University
Evanston, IL

Undergraduate Studies
University of Redlands
Redlands, CA
Phi Beta Kappa

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- *Time Magazine's* 100 Most Influential People in the World (2010)
 - Global International Litigator of the Year by *Who's Who Legal* (Seven times)
 - Litigator of the Year by *The American Lawyer*
 - Lawyer of the Year by *The National Law Journal* (Twice)
 - Antitrust Lawyer of the Year by the New York Bar Association
 - Best Lawyers in America (1987 – 2024)
 - *Lawdragon* 500 Leading Lawyers
 - Eminent Practitioner by *Chambers USA*
 - Top 50 Big Law Innovators of the Last 50 Years by *The American Lawyer* (2013)
 - Honorary Doctor of Laws from the University of Redlands, New York Law School, University of New Hampshire School of Law, and New York University
 - Honorary Doctor of Letters from the Chicago Theological Seminary
 - Award of Merit from Yale Law School
 - ABA Medal from the American Bar Association
 - Vanderbilt Medal from New York University Law School
 - Pinnacle Award from the International Dyslexia Association
 - William Brennan Award from the University of Virginia
 - Role Model Award from Equality Forum
 - Lead by Example Award from the National Association of Women Lawyers
 - Torch of Learning Award from the American Friends of Hebrew University
 - Eisendrath Bearer of Light Award from the Union for Reform Judaism
 - Lifetime Achievement Award from the Mississippi Center for Justice
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